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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 9, 2004, for which a shortened statutory period of three months for response ending November 9, 2004 was provided and for which pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), a three-month extension, ending February 9, 2005 is hereby requested, the following amendments and comments are submitted and reconsideration of the claim rejections is respectfully requested.

Please charge the required fee of one thousand and twenty dollars (\$1,020.00) for extending the time for a response within the third month after the original response date, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(b) to Deposit Account 07-0832.

As certified in a certificate of mailing included on the signature page of this document pursuant to 37 CFR §1.8, the present response is being mailed on January 28, 2005 and, therefore, it is respectfully submitted that this response is timely.

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